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R. A. CASSIDY,
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September 27th, 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir Robert,

Please find enclosed letter from Mr. Silcox, who has the arrangements in charge for Stratford.

I have written to the Secretary of the Association at St.Thomas and to those most interested in Woodstock, advising them of the London meeting. Both places are near London, particularly St.Thomas, and it was my thought that some of the Alumni might take advantage of your presence in London and attend the meeting.

Everything that could be done at this end has been done to assure a good gathering. Notices have been sent direct by mail to all of the Alumni in Middlesex County, whose addresses are known to be correct. Items in the local newspaper will also help.

I trust that the attendance will be good and that it will stimulate interest throughout the entire section.

Sincerely yours,

R A Cassidy

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September 30th, 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir Robert,

I find that letters were sent to Mr.McCraney last Spring and the files do not indicate any response. I am writing to him today and, as it is necessary to get some action in Saskatoon, a note from you to him would be stimulating. If this seems inadvisable I shall be glad of any suggestion from you to get things started there.

Sincerely yours,

R A Cassidy

MEMO FROM MR.R.A.CASSIDY TO MISS PATTERSON

I wish you would take up with Sir Robert as soon as he returns the matter of going to Montreal the evening of November 3rd. He was advised of this before he left for the West. The Alumni in Montreal will want as much time as possible to prepare. If it is quite impossible for Sir Robert to go General Mitchell is wanted, but they are particularly anxious that Sir Robert be with them.

23.10.19.

MEMO FROM MR.R.A.CASSIDY TO MISS PATTERSON

The Alumni in Wentworth County wish Sir Robert Falconer to speak to them in Hamilton at a Dinner early in N ovember and on an evening convenient to him. They would like two weeks notice to prepare. Will you be good enough to take this up with Sir Robert as soon as he returns and advise me?

RAC.

23.10.19.

October 7th, 1919

Dear Mr. Cassidy:

After the sentence beginning "The Alumni of any community ..... thereof" insert the following:

It would seem appropriate that graduates of the University living in the Provinces West of Ontario should endeavour to secure sufficient funds to provide graduate fellowships for students from the West who would wish to continue their course in the University of Toronto. In this way the money raised in the West would be really devoted to the use of men and women who belong to the West. Such graduate fellowships would be a means of strengthening the ties between the two sections of the Dominion. Already during the past four years fellowships with this purpose have been established through private gifts in the University of Toronto and quite a number of very promising students from the West have been studying in the University of Toronto supported by scholarships presented by Toronto gentlemen.

Yours sincerely,

President.